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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

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**BRASS KNOB MISSION 3352**  
**11 JANUARY 1963**



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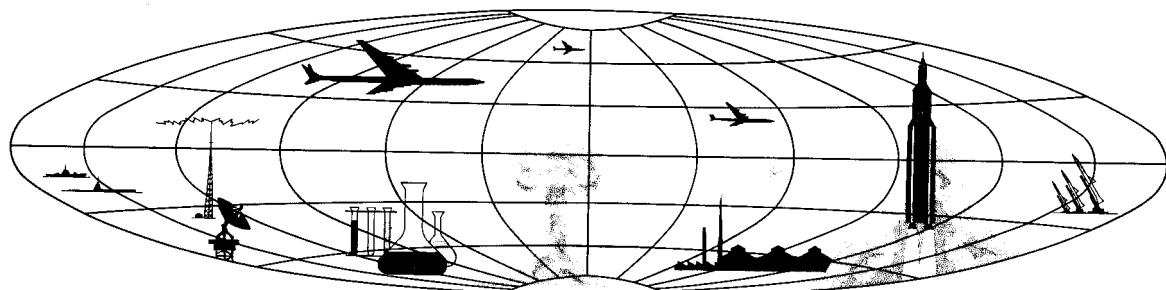


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3352, DATED 11 JANUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1D

PEPU (PEPUS) SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY 2016N 07620W

NO MISSILE OR MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2205N 08409W

SIX NET-COVERED MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS.  
 TWO OF THE 3 HOLD REVETMENTS ARE CANVAS-COVERED. THE THIRD CONTAINS TWO TRANSPORTERS, ONE OF WHICH IS CANVAS-COVERED.

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CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

SIX LAUNCH POSITIONS, 5 OF WHICH PROBABLY CONTAIN MISSILES, AND 2 POSSIBLE MISSILES IN HOLD POSITIONS. OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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JIGUANI SAM SITE 2021N 07620W

AT LEAST FOUR LAUNCHERS IN POSITION, WITH FOUR POSSIBLE MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS. NO OTHER VISIBLE CHANGE.

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SIGUANEA SAM SITE 2137N 08257W

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SIX PROBABLE LAUNCHERS IN POSITION AND 5 PROBABLE  
MISSILES MOUNTED.

LAUNCH POSITIONS CANVAS-COVERED. TWO POSITIONS  
REVETTED, 3 REVETMENTS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, AND NO  
INDICATION OF REVETMENT CONSTRUCTION ON THE SIXTH.

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MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W

25X1D

THREE LAUNCHERS (ONE WITH MISSILE) AND 5 MISSILE  
TRANSPORTERS OBSERVED. FOUR STORAGE-TYPE BUILDINGS  
NOTED.

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MANATI SAM SITE 2113N 07702W

25X1D

SIX LAUNCHERS, 4 WITH MISSILES, OBSERVED.  
OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER IDENTIFICATION.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 1959N 07550W

25X1D

SIX LAUNCHERS IN POSITION AND AT LEAST 4 MISSILES  
ON LAUNCHERS.

25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W

25X1D

TWENTY-FOUR MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 4 TANK TRUCKS,  
NUMEROUS MISSILE CANISTERS, 11 PRIME MOVERS, AND  
APPROXIMATELY 40 TRUCKS IN THE AREA.

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MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W

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SIX LAUNCHERS IN POSITION, AT LEAST 4 OF WHICH HAVE  
MISSILES. A LARGE REVETMENT IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION  
JUST SOUTH OF SAM SITE.

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SIGUANEA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2137N 08258W

25X1D

THE TWO LAUNCH POSITIONS ARE OCCUPIED WITH LAUNCHERS.  
NO MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS.  
ONE PF OBSERVED IN YACHT BASIN.

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-AIRFIELDS-

SIGUANEA AIRFIELD 2138N 08257W

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AIRCRAFT -- NONE.  
RUNWAY SERVICEABLE.

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ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W

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AIRCRAFT -- ONE HOUND, 3 LIAISON-TYPE, AND ONE  
TWIN-ENGINE TRANSPORT-TYPE.

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD 2206N 08409W

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AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.

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COLONEL MARTIN MARRERO AIRFIELD 2150N 08247W

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AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.

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JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE.

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[REDACTED]

-PORTS-

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

25X1D

VESSELS -- ONE TANKER, 5 PT BOATS, 4 PATROL CRAFT,  
AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.  
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.

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[REDACTED]

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

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NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W

[REDACTED]

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VESSELS -- TWO LARGE FREIGHTERS, 2 ORE CARRIERS, ONE  
BARGE, NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.  
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

NUEVA GERONA PORT 2153N 08248W

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VESSELS -- ONE POSSIBLE COASTAL FREIGHTER AND ONE  
SELF-PROPELLED BARGE. NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

ENSENADA COLORADO, LANDING BEACH 2202N 08025W

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NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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PUNTA COLOMBO, LANDING BEACH 2154N 08246W

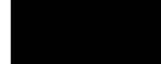


25X1D NO BEACH DEFENSES OR MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.



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PLAYA DE FLAMENCOS, LANDING BEACH 2153N 08243W



25X1D NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.



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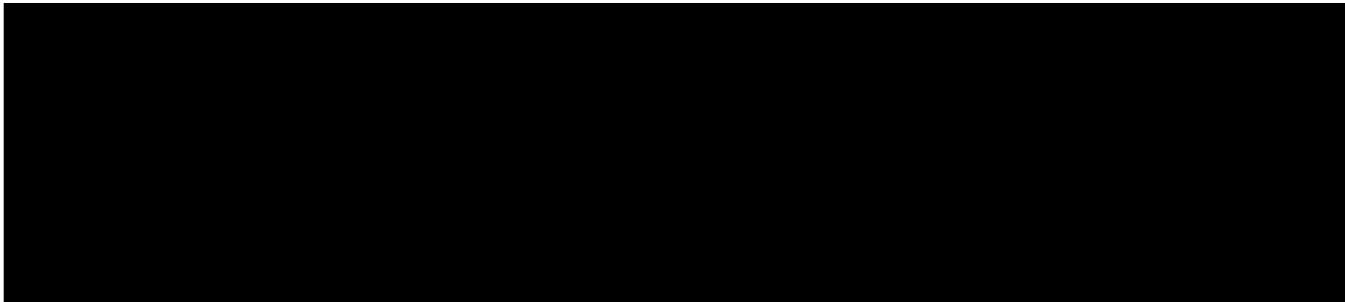
MENDOZA O ISABEL RUBIO, TRANSSHIPMENT POINT 2209N 08405W



25X1D NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.



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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE  
LAST COVERAGE --

SANTA BARBARA, SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY  
 VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA  
 LOS CANOS AIRFIELD  
 VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP  
 GUANTANAMO AREA 1  
 MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY  
 SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH  
 PLAYA YATERITAS, LANDING BEACH

2012N 07634W  
 2104N 07700W  
 2004N 07509W  
 2054N 07655W  
 2005N 07523W  
 2017N 07706W  
 1957N 07542W  
 1959N 07458W

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CIENFUEGOS, BEACH  
 MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH  
 LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE/INSTALLATION

2202N 08026W  
 1957N 07557W  
 2208N 08004W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT  
 NOT INTERPRETED --

25X1D

LA COLOMA SAM SITE  
 PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA  
 LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE  
 HOLGUIN AIRFIELD  
 BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD  
 CAYO LARGO AIRFIELD  
 NUEVITAS PORT  
 LA COLOMA PORT  
 PUERTO PADRE PORT  
 PINAR DEL RIO, MILITARY CONCENTRATION  
 HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP  
 CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 1  
 SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP  
 SAN GERMAN, MILITARY ACTIVITY  
 CAMAGUEY AREA, SMALL MILITARY CAMP  
 NICARO, LANDING BEACH  
 MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION  
 AGUAS CLARAS, PROB MILITARY EQUIPMENT AREA

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2218N 08332W  
 2221N 08339W  
 2156N 08019W  
 2048N 07618W  
 2023N 07638W  
 2137N 08133W  
 2132N 07716W  
 2214N 08334W  
 2113N 07632W  
 2223N 08342W  
 2053N 07614W  
 2121N 07750W  
 2029N 07559W  
 2025N 07602W  
 2126N 07753W  
 2042N 07533W  
 2029N 07530W  
 2213N 08323W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED OR WERE  
 NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER OR  
 OTHER CONDITIONS --

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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 1  
 SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3  
 GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1  
 SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1  
 SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2  
 REMEDIOS IRBM SITE  
 SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4  
 GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 2  
 SANTO TOMAS AREA, SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY  
 BARTOLOMÉ (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY  
 SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY  
 BELLAMAR, SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY  
 MATANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA  
 CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA  
 SANTA LUCIA SAM SITE

2240N 08317W  
 2242N 08308W  
 2257N 08239W  
 2243N 08001W  
 2239N 07951W  
 2225N 07935W  
 2246N 08258W  
 2257N 08236W  
 2233N 08351W  
 2226N 07934W  
 2227N 07940W  
 2302N 08133W  
 2304N 08133W  
 2146N 07958W  
 2241N 08355W

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MARIEL SAM SITE	2300N 08249W
MATANZAS SAM SITE	2301N 08129W
BAHIA HONDA SAM SITE	2257N 08317W
HAVANA SAM SITE	2309N 08213W
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N 08005W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N 07929W
SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE	2147N 07929W
CHAPARRA SAM SITE	2107N 07626W
LOS ANGELES SAM SITE	2100N 07541W
SENADO SAM SITE	2136N 07733W
CHAMBAS SAM SITE	2213N 07853W
ESMERALDA SAM SITE	2155N 07813W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N 08045W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2257N 08221W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2142N 07850W
DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2301N 08044W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2151N 07844W
CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2236N 08005W
SANTA LUCIA ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2243N 08349W
LOMA DE TIERRA, MILITARY CAMP AREA	2301N 08213W
BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2058N 07538W
SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2309N 08156W
CAMPO FLORIDA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2306N 08211W
GUERRA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2300N 08250W
CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD	2229N 07955W
CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD	2125N 07751W
CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD	2307N 08117W
SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD	2252N 08231W
JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD	2300N 08224W
CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD	2306N 08226W
MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION	2300N 08246W
PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD	2302N 08235W
MANAGUA AIRFIELD	2258N 08217W
PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD	2225N 08341W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
MARIEL NAVAL PORT	2301N 08245W
BANES PORT	2055N 07542W
PUNTA ALEGRE PORT	2223N 07847W
BARACOA PORT	2021N 07430W
MOA BAY PORT	2039N 07454W
LA ISABELA PORT	2256N 08001W
CAIBARIEN PORT	2232N 07928W
CARDENAS PORT	2302N 08112W
CASILDA PORT	2145N 07959W
SANTA LUCIA, PORT FACILITIES	2240N 08358W
MATANZAS PORT	2303N 08134W
SURGIDERO DE BATABANO NAVAL PORT	2241N 08218W
HAVANA PORT	2308N 08221W
CABANAS PORT	2259N 08256W

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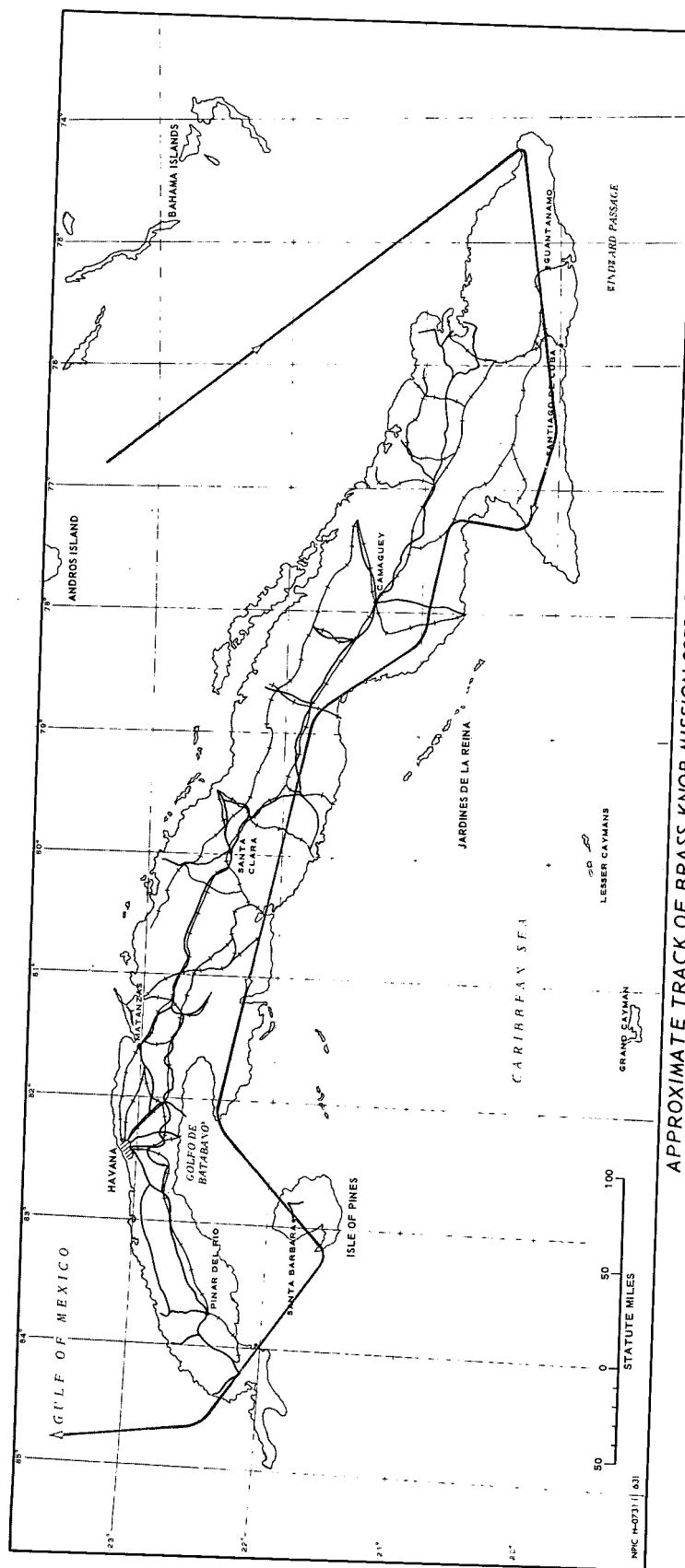
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BAHIA HONDA PORT	25X1D
PUNTA GERARDO, SECURED PORT FACILITY	2255N 08311W
HAVANA AREA, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER	2256N 08311W
LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE	2300N 08226W
ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP	2252N 08233W
LA BOCA, MILITARY CAMP	2251N 08248W
BAHIA HONDA AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2301N 08242W
CABANAS AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2258N 08311W
EL JUCARO, MILITARY AREA	2256N 08252W
REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2051N 07543W
MINAS, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA	2227N 07934W
HAVANA, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA U/C	2307N 08212W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2301N 08226W
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08220W
TORRENS, MILITARY CONCENTRATION	2255N 08210W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2259N 08228W
LIMONAR AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2221N 07957W
MANAGUA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2255N 08124W
SPECIAL AREA ALPHA	2258N 08217W
SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	2258N 08227W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO BLUE	2301N 08246W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO RED	2250N 08233W
SPECIAL AREA VICTOR	2254N 08231W
SPECIAL AREA TANGO	2300N 08234W
LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST	2258N 08244W
TARARA AREA, LANDING BEACH	2146N 07959W
MATANZAS, BEACH	2310N 08212W
VARADERO, LANDING BEACH	2302N 08126W
SAN FRANCISCO DE PAULA, MUNITIONS STORAGE	2308N 08118W
MANAGUA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE	2303N 08218W
BEJUCAL MUNITIONS STORAGE SITES	2258N 08218W
	2256N 08223W
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SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2224N 07953W
MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE	2206N 07958W
25X1D	
SANTA BRIGIDA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2304N 08137W
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